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Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
- A PTO Form 1449 listing 136 references. (X)
- A Revocation and Power of Attorney in 2 pages. (X)
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